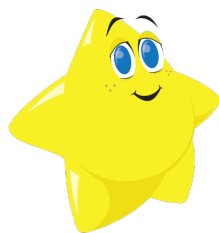


Small Group Leader Guide



1 Week

Age 4
A Roaring
Rescue:
Always Pray

Question

When can I pray?

Answer

I can pray all night, all day.

Bible Verse

1 Thessalonians 5:17 NLT
Never stop praying.

What To Do First

Review

1. **Introduce** yourself.
2. **Say** the **Question**, **Answer**, and **Verse** together.

Read

1. **Lay** Story Cards in order.
2. **Point** to the first card.
3. **Read** the caption.
4. **Ask** the **Question**.
Kids answer.
5. **Do Action** together.
6. **Repeat** steps 2-5 for Story Cards 2-5.

Remember

What Do You See?

1. **Show** Story Card 1.
2. **Ask**, "What do you see in this picture?"
Group answers.
3. **Repeat** steps 1-2 for Story Cards 2-5.

Review Questions & Actions

Story Card 1

Question

Is it good or bad to pray to a human king? *Bad*

Action

Say, "No, no, no!" to the bad law.

Story Card 2

Question

Who prayed to God every day? *Daniel*

Action

Make a sad face because Daniel was arrested.

Story Card 3

Question

What did Daniel do in the lions' den? *He prayed.*

Action

Make prayer hands and bow your head to pray.

Story Card 4

Question

Who helped Daniel in the lions' den? *God: He sent an angel!*

Action

Pretend to flap your wings like an angel.

Story Card 5

Question

Who sent the angel to save Daniel? *God*

Action

Clap your hands for God!

How To Wrap Up

Talk

Daniel prayed every day.
When do you like to pray?

Pray

Ask kids what they want to talk to God about, and pray with them.

Check Out Time

Begin When Parents Arrive

1. **Combine** your Small Groups if you need to free up a leader.
2. One leader **stands** at the door to **greet** parents and **run** check out.
3. When a kid leaves, **tell** the parents something positive about their kid.
4. **Encourage** parents to take a picture of the Parent Convo card.
5. **Keep kids busy in small groups:** Do Story Card activities, let kids share what's on their mind, or pray together to build closer relationships.

